

source is cylindrical, which is respectfully submitted as being depicted in FIGS. 2A-2B;

Spherical Group – claims 19-28 and 53-56, an embodiment wherein the magnetic field source is spherical, which is respectfully submitted as being depicted in FIGS. 3A and 3B; and

Planar-Spherical Group – claims 29-43, an embodiment wherein the magnetic field source is planar-spherical, which the Examiner identified as being depicted in FIG'S 4-6.

The Examiner also identified claims 44-48 as generic.

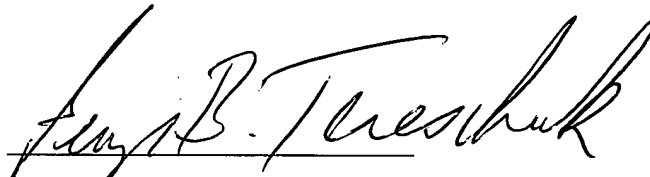
Claims 19-28 and 53-56, which the Examiner identified as the Spherical species, are hereby elected for further examination and prosecution on the merits, without traverse.

Should the Examiner require further information, the Examiner is invited to telephone the applicants' attorney at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully Submitted,

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